GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4123
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SETTING UP OF POST OFFICES
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of new post offices proposed to be opened particularly in Andhra Pradesh during the current year, State-wise;

(b) the quantum of amount allocated, State-wise;

(c) whether this amount is higher than the previous year and if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

(a) Targets allocated for Andhra Pradesh and for rest of the Circles in the country for current year 2001-2002, are given in Annexure-I.

(b) Circle-wise fund allocations for the year 2001-2002, are given in Annexure-II.

(c) The total funds allocated for the activity of Expansion of Postal Network is higher during the current financial year 2001-2002, as compared to last year.

(d) Does not arise in view of (c) above.

Annexure-I
PHYSICAL TARGETS FOR OPENING OF POST OFFICES FOR THE PLAN YEAR 2001-2002

S.No.	Circle	EDBOs	DSOs
1	Andhra Pradesh	15	1
2	Assam	35	2
3	Bihar	60	5
4	Chattisgarh	25	1
5	Delhi	2	2
6	Gujarat	20	3
7	Haryana	2	1
8	Himachal	5	1
9	J & K	13	1
10	Jharkhand	30	2
11	Karnataka	20	2
12	Kerala	2	1
13	M.P.	21	3
14	Maharashtra	70	7
15	North East	35	2
16	Orissa	14	2
17	Punjab	6	2
18	Rajasthan	20	2
19	Tamil Nadu	5	2
20	Uttar Pradesh	45	2
21	Uttaranchal	25	1
22	West Bengal	30	5
	TOTAL	500	50

EDBOs-EXTRA DEPARTMENTAL BRANCH OFFICESDSOs-DEPARTMENTAL SUB OFFICES

ANNEXURE-II

CIRCLE-WISE ALLOTMENT OF FUNDS- 2001-2002

Allotment of Funds (Amount in Lakhs of Rs)

S.No.	Circles	Urban Areas 3201-02.101.01	Rural Areas 3201-02.101.05	Tribal Areas 3201-02.101.06	PSSKs 3201-02- 101.07.02	TOTAL
(i)						
1	ANDHRA	25.82	8.46	3.19	12.65	50.12
2	ASSAM	46.67	32.92	7.87	8.69	96.15
3	BIHAR	23.73	52.72	17.28	70.31	164.04
4	CHHATISSGARH	3.77	6.37	4.38	13.34	27.86
5	DELHI	22.21	5.8		28.01	
6	GUJARAT	30.87	21.18	5.62	15.9	73.57
7	HARYANA	18.44	12.04		10.60	41.08
8	HIMACHAL	8.66	4.67	0.34	7.90	21.57
9	J & K	11.1	13.14	3.37	1.67	29.28
10	JHARKHAND	5.09	2.55	2.55	13.81	24.00
11	KARNATAKA	34.43	19.19	6.83	5.72	66.17
12	KERALA	20.88	8.14		29.02	
13	M.P.	38.2	28.89	13.16	40.31	120.56
14	MAHRASHTRA	50.83	52.18	13.28	29.95	146.24
15	NORTH EAST	31.99	17.78	19.12	9.49	78.38
16	ORISSA	24.65	12.62	4.58	14.27	56.12
17	PUNJAB	19.76	13.76	1.04	9.44	44.00
18	RAJASTHAN	14.87	24.66	5.26	13.90	58.69
19	TAMIL NADU	24.65	14.29	4.24	15.07	58.25
20	U.P.	29.55	52.04	3.19	43.34	128.12
21	UTTRANCHAL	3.76	3.59	5.60	6.10	19.05
22	W.BENGAL	72.64	29.4	4.30	3.12	109.46
	TOTAL	562.57	436.39	125.20	345.58	1469.74